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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Chomik et al.

Serial No.: 09/639,508

For: VENT DISK FOR BABY BOTTLE AND METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MANUFACTURE THEREOF

Filed: August 16, 2000

Examiner: Dexter, C. F.

Art Unit: 3724

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Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to extend the time for filing this response until \_\_\_\_\_.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	
Total Claims	9	Minus	27	0	x \$18.00	\$
Independent Claims	2	Minus	4	0	x \$84.00	\$
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE					x \$280.00 = \$	
TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES					\$PAID	
1/2 FILING FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY					\$N/A	

The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be \$ 0.00.

— A check in the amount of \$ 0.00 is attached.

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 01-0467**. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

April 22, 2003

Date

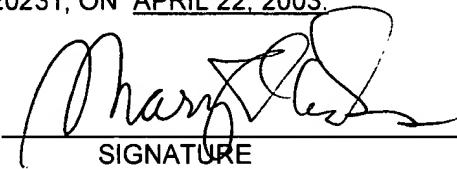


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Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action (paper No. 19) mailed January 22, 2003, please amend the above-noted application as follows:

In the Claims

Please amend the claims as follows:

14. (Thrice amended) A method of forming a plurality of perforations in a concavely curved domed portion of a vent disc, said plurality of perforations each having centerlines, which comprises: